

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

GEORGIA P. SMITH,	)	CASE NO. 4:11CV00250
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	JUDGE BENITA Y. PEARSON
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,	)	
Commissioner of Social Security	)	
	)	<b><u>MEMORANDUM OF OPINION AND</u></b>
Defendant.	)	<b><u>ORDER</u></b>

Plaintiff Georgia P. Smith (“Smith”) filed a complaint seeking judicial review of an unfavorable decision rendered by the Commissioner of Social Security, denying her application for social security disability benefits. [ECF No. 1](#). The Court referred the matter to Magistrate Judge Kathleen B. Burke for preparation of a Report and Recommendation pursuant to [28 U.S.C. § 636](#) and Local Rules 72.2(b)(1). Magistrate Judge Burke submitted her Report and Recommendation recommending that the Court affirm the Commissioner’s decision. [ECF No. 19](#).

[Fed. R. Civ. P. 72\(b\)\(2\)](#) provides that the parties may object to a Report and Recommendation within fourteen (14) days after service. No objections were filed within the 14-day period. Any further review by this Court would be a duplicative and an inefficient use of the Court's limited resources. [Thomas v. Arn](#), 728 F.2d 813 (6th Cir. 1984); [Howard v. Sec’y of](#)

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*Health and Human Servs.*, 932 F.2d 505 (6th Cir. 1991); *United States v. Walters*, 638 F.2d 947, 949-50 (6th Cir. 1981).

Accordingly, the Report and Recommendation is hereby adopted. The Commissioner's decision is affirmed. The Court certifies, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3), that an appeal from this decision could not be taken in good faith.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

February 23, 2012  
Date

s/ Benita Y. Pearson  
United States District Judge